THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAY PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) At present, no proposal for Nationalisation of Rivers is under consideration of the Ministry of Water Resources and there is no linkage between creation of "North-East Water Regulatory Authority" and "Nationalisation of Rivers".

Financial Assistance to State Governments

1051. SHRI PRAVEEN RASHTRAPAL: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the financial assistance given to the State Government of Gujarat, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra in constructions of Dams, Tanks, Canals and other infrastructure for water storage and supply during the period from 1980 till date; and

(b) what are the similar details about financial assistance for rehabilitation of displaced persons on account of construction of dams in the above States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAY PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) Ministry of Water Resources provides financial assistance under Accelerated Irrigation Benefit Programme (AIBP), Command Area Development Programme (renamed as Command Area Development and Water Management Programme (CAD&WM) and Repair, Renovation and Restoration of Water Bodies directly linked to Agriculture. Financial assistance provided to the State Governments of Gujarat, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra under AIBP, CAD&WM, Repair, Renovation and Restoration of Water bodies directly linked to agriculture is given in Statement *(See* below).

(b) Centra] Government do not provide direct financial assistance under AIBP for rehabilitation of displaced persons due to construction of dams. However, the proposals for financial assistance under AIBP may contain works related to Resettlement and Rehabilitation of project affected families which is also eligible for financial assistance under AIBP.

Statement

Financial Assistance to the State Governments

(Rs. in crore)

SI. No	Name of the State	Financial assistance provided till date under		
		AIBP	CAD&WM	RRR of Water Bodies
1	Gujarat	4776.8305	167.3287	5.754
2	Rajasthan	1695.4532	528.6048	5.21
3	Madhya Pradesh	2516.2356	101.4296	16.40
4	Maharashtra	2000.3736	247.8668	13.831